

NEWS OF THE DAY.

"To show the very age and body of the Times."

At the late meeting of the Academy of Sciences, M. Delaunay proved that the earth's motion is gradually slackening, and that the days are thereby insensibly lengthening to the extent of a second in \$100,000 years! At this rate in eight thousand six hundred and forty millions of years the earth will stop altogether, if it does not otherwise before that period. We find thus that the world is bound to come to an end some time or other.

Probably the first conviction, in this county, of a person employed by a railroad company for negligence, resulting in disaster, took place in Newark during last week. The accused was Edward O'Brien, a switch-tender on the New Jersey railroad, who left a switch misplaced, causing the death of two persons. He was tried for manslaughter and found guilty, but recommended to mercy.

An exchange paper says that house flies may be effectually destroyed without the use of poison. Take half a spoonful of black pepper in powder, one teaspoonful of brown sugar, and one teaspoonful of cream; mix them well together and place them in a room on a plate, where the flies are troublesome, and they will very soon disappear.

M. Montholon, the French Minister, had an interview with Secretary Seward on Saturday last. It is understood in diplomatic circles that M. Montholon expressed the opinion that peace would be maintained in Europe. The dispatches of Sir Frederick Bruce, the English Minister, are also reported to be of a similar tenor.

A tornado passed over Honesdale, Pennsylvania, on Sunday evening. The immense bridge thrown across the Lackawanna River was lifted from its supports by the force of the wind, and hurled into the river a mass of ruins. Barns, out-houses, &c., were also demolished, but no lives were lost.

All the Freedmen's Courts in Tennessee have been abolished. A bill has passed the Tennessee Legislature legalizing slave marriages, giving their children the right of inheritance, and making all persons equal before the law, without distinction of color.

The members of the staff of General Santa Anna have had an interview with M. Romero, representing the Juarez Government at Washington. The conference was of an unofficial character. Nothing is known as to what transpired.

A variable star has been discovered in the constellation of the Northern Crown, and has been carefully observed at the United States Naval Observatory, in Washington.

The Mantonah, the finest ship in the U. S. naval service, is detailed to cruise on the fishing banks for a short time; but thence will proceed up the Baltic.

It is contrary to all the rules of Masonry to establish a lodge of any kind within the limits of a State, without a charter from the Grand Lodge thereof.

Arrangements are being made to give Gen. Sherman a public dinner at St. Paul, Minn., at which place the General is shortly expected to arrive.

The first session of the seventh annual convention of the board of delegates of American Israelites commenced in New York on Sunday.

An attempt is to be made to force the bill for the admission of Colorado through Congress the present week over the President's veto.

Calvin Fletcher, one of the first settlers of Indianapolis, Indiana, and a prominent banker and citizen, died on Saturday.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION.—On Friday a report was adopted declaring that the Baptist Church should earnestly engage in the religious education of the colored population of the South, especially colored preachers. Messrs. McIntosh, of Alabama, and Poindexter of Virginia alluded to the absurd prejudice existing against teaching the blacks. They could see no degradation in it. Several others spoke in the same strain.

A preamble and resolution, defining the opinion of the convention upon the subject of religious liberty was introduced by A. P. Williams, of Missouri. It reasserts the great cardinal and fundamental principles of Baptist faith, which have ever been in antagonism to persecution for conscience's sake.

Dr. Fuller of Baltimore gave his personal experience in the midst of civil war, and how he had obeyed the laws of the United States, not for patriotism but for religion, having stated this to the authorities at Washington, when he was threatened with imprisonment.

Dr. Fuller spoke with his peculiar power and emphasis, and with that grace of manner, cogency of logic and chasteness of rhetoric that are so natural to him.

Dr. Burrows of Richmond, stated that he had nothing to regret of what he had said, or thought or done during the past five years, and that no man living would be ever make acknowledgments or ask pardon of any, but the Lord of all.

Prof. Boyce of South Carolina who was for months after his State seceded a warm Unionist, but afterwards a staff officer, spoke eloquently and forcibly upon the subject of soul liberty. It was, he said, Bible doctrine as well as Baptist doctrine, and should be reasserted and reinstated by the convention.

Dr. Jeter of Virginia spoke with fervor and point, as did Mr. Poindexter. This discussion gave occasion to the most spirited debates of the session and there was evidently much feeling on the important question of military and civil interference with religious affairs.

The report, taken from the Chicago Times does not give the final action on the resolution.

"BY THE ETERNAL!" AGAIN.—"Jack" and "John" are, the world over, the same. Jackson (Jack's son.) is the same as Johnson (John's son.) Andrew Johnson, seventeenth President of the United States, is in name the same as Andrew Jackson, seventh President. Both were born in North Carolina, both lived for time in South Carolina, both emigrated to Tennessee. Andrew, under his new name, will accomplish what he promised under his old name: "The Union must and shall be preserved!"

Thus wrote Harper's Weekly not a very long time ago. It has changed its tone now, and virulently denounces Andrew Johnson.

Quin Morton, one of the oldest and most respected merchants of Petersburg, Va., died last week.

The Pennsylvania coal trade is steadily on the increase. No advance in prices.

Freedmen's Affairs.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—A mass of documents was sent to the House to-day in relation to freedmen's affairs, including a letter from Assistant Commissioner Scott, dated Charleston South Carolina, May 21st, in which he states to Gen. Howard that he had just returned from accompanying Gen. Sherman and Fullerton in their inspection of the Sea Islands. Although a careful investigation was made, no flaw, he remarks could be found in his management of the Sea Islands in question, or any other of the affairs of the Bureau in South Carolina. It gives him much pleasure to state that the planters came forward and upheld his policy throughout, and were panic-stricken at the very idea of the removal of the Bureau.

The Assistant Commissioner for North Carolina says the number of destitute freedmen dependent upon the Government has been gradually reduced, and it is hoped by the end of another quarter the necessity for the gratuitous issue of rations and clothing will have ceased entirely. The demand for labor continues unabated, and is far greater than the supply. Many planters in the Southern States have applied to him for help, and some have engaged parties in North Carolina to return with them. The inquiry is no longer heard: "What can be done with the negroes?" But the question is often asked: "Where can laborers be found?"

Gen. Howard, in a communication dated May 22, addressed to the Secretary of War, transmits reports of Brevet Brigadier General E. Whittlesey, Assistant Commissioner of North Carolina, and Special Inspector Brigadier General F. D. Sewell and others, with reference to the operations of the Bureau in North Carolina and Virginia. General Howard also sends copies of orders issued by him, based upon the allegations and charges made against certain officers and agents of the Bureau. General Howard says: "As a mistake seems to prevail to this effect—that I have sought, by the publication of a private letter, to screen certain agents from the consequences of offenses charged against them—I wish to say that said letter was written prior to the publication of Steedman's and Fullerton's report, and only intended to vouch for the officers referred to in the private letter received. I shrink from in the investigation, but earnestly desire to bring every officer and agent, who shall be guilty of any dereliction of duty or complicity in crimes, to swift justice. I believe this can be effected better by having the same officer in every State charged with the duties of assistant commissioner and military commander. Upon these points my views are set forth briefly in Circular No. 4, current series enclosed. Allow me to call your attention to the fact that the majority of those officers complained of, are officers selected from the army, generally of excellent record, and always vouched for by men of the highest standing in the community. I earnestly recommend that, hereafter, a fair trial be allowed to every officer accused, prior to the publication of charges against him."

FAIRFAX COUNTY.—The following is the official vote of Fairfax county:

Clerk County Court—Centerville—Fitzhugh, none; Richardson, 99; Barlow, none. Sangsters—Fitzhugh, 6; Richardson, 23; Barlow, none. Arundels—Fitzhugh, 1; Richardson, 10; Barlow, none. Bayliss—Fitzhugh, none; Richardson, 11; Barlow, none. Acotkin—Fitzhugh, 18; Richardson, 24; Barlow, none. Pulman's—Fitzhugh, 3; Richardson, 60; Barlow, none. West End—Fitzhugh, 11; Richardson, 62; Barlow, none. Anandale—Fitzhugh, 9; Richardson, 15; Barlow, none. Fall's Church—Fitzhugh, 1; Richardson, 31; Barlow, 23. Fairfax C. H.—Fitzhugh, 23; Richardson, 121; Barlow, none. Lewinsville, Fitzhugh, 13; Richardson, 55; Barlow, none. Vienna—Fitzhugh, 16; Richardson, 63; Barlow, none. Bardens—Fitzhugh, none; Richardson, 103; Barlow, none. Rose—Fitzhugh, 1; Richardson, 16. Total—Fitzhugh, 120; Richardson, 810; Barlow, 23.

Clerk Circuit Court—Centerville—Moore, 9; Gooding, 86; Hawhurst, none. Sangsters—Moore, 14; Gooding, 14; Hawhurst, none. Arundels—Moore, 14; Gooding, 71; Hawhurst, none. Bayliss—Moore, 17; Gooding, 23; Hawhurst, none. Acotkin—Moore, 20; Gooding, 13; Hawhurst, none. Pulman's—Moore, 23; Gooding, 48; Hawhurst, none. West End—Moore, 17; Gooding, 57; Hawhurst, none. Anandale—Moore, 3; Gooding, 23; Hawhurst, none. Fall's Church—Moore, 11; Gooding, 17; Hawhurst, 25. Fairfax C. H.—Moore, 84; Gooding, 51; Hawhurst, 1. Lewinsville—Moore, 36; Gooding, 28; Hawhurst, none. Vienna—Moore, 32; Gooding, 40; Hawhurst, none. Bardens—Moore, 12; Gooding, 103; Hawhurst, none. Rose—Moore, 7; Gooding, 10; Hawhurst, 4. Total—Moore, 308; Gooding, 584; Hawhurst, 30.

Sheriff—Centerville—Mellen, 55; O'Brien, none; Peacock, none. Sangsters—Mellen, 26; O'Brien, none; Peacock, 9. Arundels—Mellen, 42; O'Brien, none; Peacock, none. Bayliss—Mellen, 20; O'Brien, none; Peacock, 19. Pulman's—Mellen, 55; O'Brien, 11; Peacock, 3. West End—Mellen, 61; O'Brien, 23; Peacock, 8. Anandale—Mellen, 11; O'Brien, 33; Peacock, none. Fall's Church—Mellen, 20; O'Brien, none; Peacock, 25. Fairfax C. H.—Mellen, 128; O'Brien, 1; Peacock, 18. Lewinsville—Mellen, 55; O'Brien, 1; Peacock, 5. Vienna—Mellen, 50; O'Brien, none; Peacock, 34. Bardens—Mellen, 110; O'Brien, none; Peacock, 8. Rose—Mellen, 17; O'Brien, none; Peacock, 4. Total—Mellen, 751; O'Brien, 50; Peacock, 123.

Constables—Fairfax C. H.—Thomas, 58; Rotchford, 57; Lewis, 5; Hall, 3. Lewinsville—Thomas, 35; Rotchford, none; Lewis, 20; Hall, 33. Vienna—Thomas, 39; Rotchford, 55; Lewis, 32; Hall, 32.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.—In the Senate, yesterday, a resolution was offered, but laid over, instructing the committee on the District of Columbia to inquire whether the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company intend to construct the road from the Point of Rocks to Washington, in accordance with the charter granted by the Legislature of Maryland. Messrs. Wilson, Henderson, Van Winkle, Johnson and Buckalew were appointed a special committee to investigate the condition of the national banks. The bill to facilitate postal, commercial and military communication between the several States was taken up, and the amendment reserving the right to Congress to repeal or amend the act at any time was rejected. The bill was then laid aside.

In the House a message was received from the President transmitting voluminous reports received by the Freedmen's Bureau on the condition of the freedmen in the South. The new tax bill, having been reported from the committee of the whole, came before the House, and several of the amendments heretofore agreed to were either changed or rejected, and the bill then passed by yeas 109, nays 11. An adverse report was made on the resolution to exempt from taxation all State bank note circulation after the first of July, which was laid on the table. A new bill was introduced to regulate the admission of the Southern States into the Union. Among the resolutions adopted was one that the judiciary committee inquire into the expediency of abolishing the United States District Courts in those States which have under the apportionment of 1860 not more than seven members of Congress.

Nothing marks more clearly the rapid progress of New York in population, trade, wealth, and luxury, than the ever-increasing size of its hotels. The progress that it has made within the last few years is defined by the magnificent proportions and splendor of the hotel which Mr. Hiram Cranston of the New York Hotel is now erecting on Fifth avenue, opposite the main entrance to the Central Park. This grand structure will cover the entire block of ground lying between Fifth avenue and Madison avenue, and between Fifth and Sixth streets; and will front 201 feet on each avenue, and 420 feet on each street, and embrace an area of 84,000 superficial feet.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The Central Railroad Company, from its losses during the war, and the reduction of its business at this time, is unable to pay the accrued and accruing interest on its bonds, and proposes to fund this interest until the first day of January, 1867, inclusive, either in coupon or registered bonds, at the election of the holder, the bonds thus issued to bear an interest of eight per cent—the coupon bonds to be payable first of January, 1872.

The establishment of the Richmond Republic has been purchased by the Richmond Examiner, and the Post-office list of letters is now published in the latter paper, notwithstanding the largest circulation. The LAW says that the Post-office advertisements shall always be published in the papers having the largest circulation; but this law, in many instances, is shamefully disregarded.

A large number of organizations in Richmond, Va., were on yesterday to proceed to Hollywood Cemetery, near that city, for the purpose of re-moulding and repairing the graves of the Confederate soldiers buried there, and also to remove the remains of those buried in fields near the Cemetery, which will be put in cultivation.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Henry B. Lewis, transferred from King George county, was to have been taken up at Caroline County to-day. Henry A. Wise, Robt. Ould, R. T. Daniel and other eminent counsel are employed in the case.

A concert and supper were given at Gordonsville on the 25th inst., in aid of the Piedmont Confederate Cemetery Association.

CASE OF JEFFERSON DAVIS.—A letter from Washington to the New York Herald, referring to the expected trial of Jefferson Davis says:—"Mr. Davis will be prepared at the June term of court to be held in Richmond, and will insist upon an immediate trial, or being released upon his own recognizance, or upon bail. He will also be prepared to give bail in any amount demanded by the government, to the extent of five or ten millions of dollars. His counsel will insist that there is neither law, nor justice, nor precedent for longer delay by the government, nor for a refusal to accept bail, should the prosecutors for any reason ask for a postponement of the case."

A dispatch from Fortress Monroe, says:—"Messrs. O'Connor and Shea left here this evening for New York, having been in close consultation with Mr. Davis most of yesterday and to-day. They found him in better health than they anticipated, and though somewhat worn from his long confinement, still in possession of his keenest faculties and alive to the importance and engrossing nature of the issues involved in his expected trial. They gave no information respecting the trial, but remarked that they had just obtained permission to visit their client after many futile attempts during the last year."

The Washington Chronicle publishes the bill of fare of Mr. Davis' meals, enumerating the boiled eggs, beefsteaks, oysters, &c., &c., allowed him each day, in order to show that his fare has been good, and even sumptuous, and that nobody ought to complain!

WANTED.—One hundred and seventy-five young men of all shapes and sizes, from the tall, graceful dandy, with hair enough on his upper works to stuff a barber's cushion, down to the little hump-backed, freckled face, bow-legged, carrot-headed upstart. The object is to form a gaping Corps, to be in attendance at the church doors on each Sabbath before the commencement of divine service, to stare at the females as they enter, and make delicate and gentlemanly remarks on their person and dress. All who wish to enlist in the above Corps, will appear at the various church doors next Sabbath morning, where they will be duly inspected, and their names, published in a book kept for that purpose, and published in the newspapers. To prevent a general rush, it will be well to state that none will be enlisted who possess intellectual capacities above that of a well bred donkey.

Ten thousand four hundred and ninety-eight foreign emigrants, principally German and Irish, arrived at New York last week, and the vice-consul of the United States, at Hamburg, writes that 150,000 emigrants to the U. S. have already engaged passage at that port alone; many of them of the best class of people, with money for the support of their families on this side.

INFORMATION WANTED.—The subscriber desires information of her children, JAMES, JANE and LOUISA HARRIS, formerly belonging to Mr. Frederick Foote, of Prince William county, and who have been in the South for several years, and of whom their mother is anxious to hear some tidings. Any information will be most thankfully received. Address, FANNY HARRIS, Care of Samuel Gregory, No. 12, St. Asaph st.

\$10 REWARD.—ENTRAPPED COW.—Strayed or stolen from the premises of the subscriber, residing on the Washington city Turnpike, opposite the bridge of the Alexandria Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad, on Tuesday night, a BLACK COW, with her right hind knocked down, sharp horns, and large front teeth. The above reward will be paid for her return, or information that will lead to her recovery. [my 24-36] JOS. MARKHAM.

\$5 REWARD.—Stolen on the night of the 22d, from "Oak Grove," the residence of A. Howard, near Alexandria, a HORSE, about 15 hands high, branded on the right hip "U. S." and "22," with white star in mane short, and a knock on his fore legs together. The above reward will be paid for the return of the horse to "Oak Grove." [my 24-36] MOSES JACKSON.

FRESH DRUGS, &c., just received and for sale by HENRY COOK, 39 and 224 King st. Shallenberger's Pills, Osgood's Colagogue, Wright's Pills, Frey's Vermifuge, Fresh Congress Water, Old Bergamot, Holloway's Worm Compound, Gentian Root, Glysterine Camphor, French Cream Tartar, Cayenne Pepper, Cloves, Blue Mass, Colomel, Tartar Emetic, &c. [my 21] Address, J. T. SHERWOOD, No. 12, St. Asaph st.

THE keeper of the Alms House hereby gives notice that the Corporation has purchased a fine FULL-BLOODED BULL, which will be kept on the Alms House grounds, and not be allowed to run at large. Parties interested will please take notice. [my 25-36] JOHN STEVENSON.

ATTENTION FENIANS!—All members of the Fenian Brotherhood are requested to attend the meeting on Thursday, May 24th, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of J. T. SHERWOOD, 12, St. Asaph st. Punctual attendance is requested. By order of the Centre, J. T. SHERWOOD, Secretary.

OILS.—Coal Oil, Raw and Boiled Linseed Oil, Sperm Oil, Lard Oil, Whale Oil, Machine Oil (very fine) Tanners Oil, Neatsfoot Oil, Turpentine and Benzine, just received and for sale by J. T. SHERWOOD, No. 12, St. Asaph st.

POTOMAC HERRING.—100 half bbls Family Roe Herring; very superior, first of the season, for sale by GEO. WASHINGTON, my 25-36.

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LOST.—CERTIFICATE NO. 431, date Jan. 3rd, amount \$9, signed R. Johnston, Auditor, endorsed by John Slater. All persons are notified not to trade for the above, as I intend to apply for a renewal. [my 24-36] THOS. WHITTINGTON.

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